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SUBJECT:DISTRIBUTION OF GATT RESTRICTED DOCUMENTS

1. TRADE ACT OF 1974 ESTABLISHED PROCEDURES FOR RECEIVING ADVICE ON NEGOTIATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC SECTOR. ADVISORY COMMITTEES ARE NOW MEETING. MEMBERS HAVE U.S. SECURITY CLEARANCES AND ALREADY HAVE ACCESS TO CLASSIFIED INFORMATION.

2. DELEGATION REQUESTED ASK GATT SECRETARIAT HOW IT WOULD VIEW DISTRIBUTION REPEAT DISTRIBUTION OF GATT RESTRICTED DOCUMENTS, OR EXCERPTS FROM SUCH DOCUMENTS, RELEVANT TO NEGOTIATIONS TO ALL MEMBERS OF U.S. ADVISORY COMMITTEES. SINCE MEMBERS PRESENTLY HAVE ACCESS TO DOCUMENTS IN COMMERCE READING ROOM (BUT ARE NOT ALLOWED TO HAVE COPIES FOR THEIR OWN USE) ACCESS TO DOCUMENTS SHOULD NOT BE RAISED WITH SECRETARIAT. THE QUESTION IS DISTRIBUTION OF COPIES TO MEMBERS OF ADVISORY COMMITTEES.

3. DELEGATION ALSO REQUESTED TO DETERMINE IF GATT SECRETARIAT HAS PUBLISHED DOCUMENT EXPLAINING MEANING OF GATT CLASSIFICATIONS, I.E. WHAT DOES "RESTRICTED" MEAN?

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